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News of the Week from Standard

Some of the farmers are taking advantage of the good weather and started to seed. The soil is in good condition on the high land.

The settlers just arrived in this district, from the south are greatly pleased with the weather in Alberta.

The building is quite brisk in Standard at present. Prospects for 1914 are good.

The dance for St. Patrick's night will be well attended if the weather is good. Mr. McDill has been very busy lately getting tickets sold.

The lively stable in Standard is well patronized at present by the new settlers.

The hard times dance was a great success and we must consider our town growing when we get the champion wrestler of Canada to give an exhibition.

Pete Beck is hauling flax at present, a very fine sample. Pete is a hustler.

H. H. Shaw has built a large addition to his house lately. The weather is great for building.

H. H. Ellis is hauling wire from our town. Mr. Ellis has done a great business since he came to Alberta and our merchants know the benefits of the same.

J. Christoffensen, lately of the Appleton Land Co., purchased three fine horses from P. Beck, manager of the company. John knew the good ones.

The sound of the auto will be very common in Standard during the summer season. All we want is the daily mail.

Ouelletteville News

On Thursday a meeting was held to organize a Conservative Association for Ouelletteville and north Cluny. Only preliminary business was done in the way of electing a president, secretary, and treasurer, but if the remainder of the Conservative in this district show as much enthusiasm as the ten men who formed this meeting, something more will be heard of this association in the near future.

A prairie fire broke out last Sunday on the high ground about one mile east of the C. P. I. D. Camp. The high winds took the fire in an easterly direction and stopped only at Crowfoot Creek, 6 miles away. Plenty of willing hands turned out from the residents in the locality and several employees of the C.P.R. and it was due to their efforts that the fire was prevented from spreading to the south where considerable damage might have been done to some buildings on the ready made farm colony. We have not heard of the extent of the damage, but it is feared that the sheep ranch on Crowfoot Creek must have suffered considerably.

Mrs. Marcel, who was reported seriously ill in St. Johns, N.B., is now convalescent.

J. S. Hirst paid a visit to Strathmore on Thursday and returned with 3 two year old heifers and a Durham Shorthorn Bull from the Animal Husbandry Dept. of the C. P. R.

D. L. Brereton states that he saw a fine flock of duck on Saturday.

Reclassification of Irrigation Land

Many months ago the farmers of this district asked the Dominion Government to reclassify the irrigable land in this district and now the Department of the Interior has written the farmers and enclosed an agreement for them to sign stating they will abide by the result of such reclassification. Below is a copy of the letter:

According to records filed in this department by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, you have purchased from that company certain irrigable and non-irrigable land and have entered into an agreement with the company for the supply by it to you of water for the irrigation of the irrigable land so purchased.

The company has informed this department of the completion of the works for the irrigation of the Western Section of its irrigation tract and has asked for the issue of a water license. The Minister of the Interior has decided that, before the works as constructed can be accepted and before any water license can properly be issued in the company's favor, it will be necessary for the company's classification of alleged irrigable land to be checked and, where necessary, revised by departmental officials. The company will be required to file with the Commissioner of Irrigation such additional plans and other data as may be required by him in connection with the reclassification. When such plans have been filed the Commissioner will have such examination made on the ground as may be necessary to determine the accuracy of the plans and where necessary will have a survey made. The company's classification will then be carefully checked, and if necessary, revised. The company has agreed to accept and abide by the result of such reclassification and to amend and adjust all its sales-contracts and water agreements in accordance. I am, therefore, to request you to state whether or not you are willing to similarly accept the result of the reclassification to be made under the direction of the Minister of the Interior. There is no desire on the part of this department to interfere in any way with any rights which you may now possess under your existing contracts with the company and no effort will be made to induce you to sign any agreement against your own inclination. It is believed, however, that the signing of such an agreement will materially facilitate the settlement of the existing difficulties between the company and lessees of water.

The attached form of agreement is believed to correctly show the lands purchased by you from the said company and the essential facts in connection with your agreement to receive water from it for irrigation purposes. If you are prepared to accept of the reclassification of land to be made under the direction of the minister, I am to request you to sign and return to me at your very earliest convenience the form of agreement attached hereto, retaining one copy thereof. Your signature should be properly witnessed and sealed. Kindly advise me of your decision in this matter at your very earliest convenience. Your obedient servant, E. F. DRAKE, Superintendent of Irrigation.

Preston Mills and family of Queenstown spent the week-end in Gleichen on business and pleasure.

Gleichen Town Congratulates Bassano

Gleichen Citizens Had No Knowledge of Farmers Delegation to Bassano

At one of the largest meetings of the citizens of Gleichen and district, called for the purpose of discussing the newspapers accounts of the farmers delegation to Bassano on the 11th inst., it was resolved:—

"That, as no citizen of Gleichen had any knowledge whatever of the farmers delegation to Bassano, or their object in view, this fact be placed on record and published, in order to avoid any misunderstanding that may have arisen in this connection.

"And be it further resolved:—

"That, as citizens of Gleichen and district we wish to congratulate the town of Bassano on the very energetic and successful class of farmers which they have had in the past and also upon the high class of farmers which we have every reason to believe they are now securing.

"And be it further resolved:—

"That it is, as it has always been, our desire to work in harmony with all other towns and extend them at all times any assistance or courtesy we can."

Bassano Wrathful Over Farmers Interfering With New Settlers

"Following the arrival of the train load of 81 persons from Colorado, with their effects, Wednesday morning an unsuccessful attempt was made by a discontented farmer and a few of his friends to discourage the newcomers and make them believe that farming in the Alberta irrigation belt had not been successful. The incoming farmers had heard similar reports by 'knockers' while in the United States, and the statements in consequence were unheeded. Early in the day the disgruntled ones withdrew and the incoming people expressed themselves satisfied that they were in the right country and said they had determined to remain here.

"A delegation from Gleichen, headed by a man named Trego, had a heated argument with the members of the Bassano board of trade in the stockyards during the morning. The Gleichen party are alleged to have endeavored to persuade the Colorado settlers to give up the irrigated land near Bassano and go to Gleichen and buy dry land. It is also alleged that they accused the C. P. R. of misrepresenting the irrigated land in Alberta. Members of the Bassano board of trade disguised themselves as farmers, wearing overalls, and met Mr. Trego and associates and were advised to not settle on the ready-made farms. Irrigation was a failure, they were told, and war between the visitors and the board followed, in which the Colorado settlers sided with the Bassano people, and it is declared that the Gleichen party left the stockyards without convincing any person that they were right.

"Bassano officials are aroused over the action of Trego and his friends and will use every effort to offset any statements detrimental to irrigation.

"The arrivals are a specially picked class of irrigation farmers who have been successful in the south, but who consider Alberta a more profitable field for their efforts. Without exception, they voiced their pleasure at being here; all had inspected the ready-made farms last summer and knew exactly what these were."

Bassano News.

Friday evening a public meeting

was held in the Gleichen town hall at which were present a great number of citizens of the town, and the farmers who raised the trouble at Bassano.

Jas. Cameron, president of the Board of Trade, was selected chairman and Peter MacLean secretary. Mr. Cameron, on taking the chair, said that the meeting was called for the purpose of considering the reports appearing in the Calgary daily papers, and read from the Herald an article very similar to the one reproduced above. He said he was not aware that Gleichen had sent a delegation to Bassano, and believed that this town had nothing whatever with sending the men there. The articles appearing in the papers cast a slur on Gleichen and made it seem that the town had sent a spiteful delegation and were acting in a most selfish and unneighborly manner. He believed it was the duty of the citizens of this place to put themselves on record as not having had any knowledge of these men going to Bassano, and to show a spirit of friendliness to our neighbors.

He did not think it was necessary for the meeting to consider the motives that took the farmers to Bassano. All men have a right to go where they please and express their opinions. Yet he did think it was the duty of the meeting to place Gleichen in its right light before the people of Bassano, Calgary and everywhere else.

Messrs. W.D. Trego, N.N. Hayes, J. G. Buckley, and N.W. McMillan were present and readily stated that they did not go to Bassano as delegates from Gleichen, but went on their own accord and with the approval of the U.F.A. Combined Irrigation Committee. They said they were quite prepared to state that Gleichen had nothing whatever to do with their going there, and they in no way gave anyone reason to think they were delegates from Gleichen. They went there to tell the new settlers this was the very best of dry-farming countries, and to warn them against using water. The reports in the Calgary papers were utterly false and misleading. Mr. Trego read a letter which he said he had forwarded to all the Calgary newspapers contradicting the reports and giving the facts of their visit and their motives for going. (However, up to the present writing, Tuesday, the letter has not appeared in any of the Calgary papers and Mr. Trego has failed to

send a copy of his letter to the Call which he promised to do Monday morning. If it arrives in time for this issue we will give it publication.)

The committee gave their views and reasons for stating irrigation was not a benefit to the land in this district, and Mr. Umbrite stated that he had used water seven years, and found it an advantage. Last year he had a gain of a little more than 16 bushels to the acre on irrigated land over the land he had not irrigated.

The chairman again called attention to the fact that the meeting was not convened to discuss the benefits of irrigation. Finally a motion was carried appointing Messrs. Beach, Bray, James, Trego and Cameron to draft resolutions and a letter and submit them to all the newspapers for publication, which they did on Saturday.

Above is the copy addressed to the Call.

Death of Col. Wyndham

Lieut.-Col. Alfred Wyndham, one of the best known figures in the life of this province, passed away at the family residence at Okotoks, at 4 a.m., Tuesday morning. The funeral took place from St. Peter's church, Okotoks, Thursday afternoon, 3.15. The funeral service was conducted by his Lordship the Bishop of Calgary, assisted by Rev. R. Alderson.

The late Col. Wyndham was in his 78th year, and had passed through a very eventful life. He was a member of the well-known English family of the same name who have gained distinction both in parliamentary and military life. He served in the British army and when he retired, came to Ontario in the neighborhood of 50 years ago. He settled in Newmarket and at once became interested in municipal affairs.

Later on he was one of the prominent figures in the Riel rebellion and settled in Glenview, near Gleichen, 28 years ago. Six years ago he retired from the ranching business and settled in Okotoks.

Colonel Wyndham was an authority on provincial affairs, and at all times was a champion for provincial rights. He kept up the fight, and was much disappointed when the lands were reserved in 1905.

At one time he was an unsuccessful candidate for the Northwest Territories legislature. He had been justice of the peace for 40 years and had been ill for the last six months. He was an active member of the Church of England, and in politics a Conservative.

He married Miss Stewart, granddaughter of a former chief justice of Quebec, 55 years ago. She survives as do six sons and two daughters all residing in Alberta, who are: Mrs. W. B. Campbell of Gleichen, Miss C. Wyndham of Okotoks, E. A. Wyndham of Gleichen, John of Red Deer River, Walter C. of Huxley, Spencer of Pine Lake, Charles of Kneehill and Alex. of Okotoks.

Colonel Wyndham and his family are well known to nearly everyone in the Gleichen district and the Call joins in extending to them most sincere sympathy in their great bereavement.

See the posters announcing a big auction sale at Queenstown on Friday, March 27th. F. E. Pohst will offer a large amount of farm equipment, machinery and household goods.

Harold M. McKie Died in California

The long expected announcement of the death of Harold M. McKie was received from his wife on Saturday by her mother, Mrs. John Arnold, from California. The message stated that he had passed away at about 11.30 that morning. Mrs. Arnold was in town that afternoon and said that while all his friends here were sorry to learn of Harold's demise, they were at the same time glad to know that he was relieved of his suffering.

About six years ago he came to Gleichen from Prince Edward Island to join his brothers here, W. R. and W. H. McKie, in the hopes that this climate would repair his fast failing health. His health soon improved and he opened in the real estate business with desk-room in the Call office, in two months he found the business a good one and purchasing the building formerly used by the Bank of Commerce had it moved on the lot adjoining A. R. Yates' store where it still stands. Soon after he took Thos. Henderson in as a partner and they were quite successful under the name of McKie & Henderson. Later he married Miss E. Arnold and to them were born a little boy. Shortly after this his health again began to fail and he left for California three years ago next month. There he became very ill and when his child passed away it was thought well not to advise him, but later his wife was summoned to his bedside and had the trying ordeal of informing him. For months he was very ill, but like so many suffering from tuberculosis he was ever hopeful and Mrs. McKie returned to her parents, while he remained in charge of a small business. But again he was taken seriously ill and she returned to him. In fact, his death was reported several times only to be contradicted. Mr. Henderson has been most faithful to him and has continued the business during the three years under the firm name.

Football

Strathmore and Brooks have formed football clubs and decided to enter the Bow Valley League, in case one is formed. Brooks tackled on the condition that "proceedings should be of a purely amateur character." This no doubt will be readily agreed with, as the time has passed when a town is given much credit for winning with hired players. It is very probable that Bassano will have a team, and a club from Calgary is anxious to enter. Thus it appears that prospects of a league are bright.

Another practice game was held on the local pitch last Friday evening. A good work-out was had.

He's Still a Bachelor

One of the popular clerks of the town was in Calgary one day last week accompanied by a lady friend. Imagine his embarrassment the following day when congratulations began to pour in. Tommy says it's all a mistake, that they were not wedded and that they were in the city only on pleasure bent. Too bad that any one should spread false reports concerning our young people.

MISCELLANEOUS
\$5 REWARD FOR RECOVERY OF two mares which strayed from my farm about Feb. 15th, and are described as follows: One bright bay mare about 1350 lbs, broad white stripe on face. Branded **ML** monogram on left hind leg. One mare about 1200, branded the same as the above. Brown. Both mares have short forelocks, having been cut off last year.—G. P. Muir, Gleichen, 51f

The above ad located the horses near Bassano for Mr. Muir and earned a reward for one of our readers last week.

SITUATION WANTED—ON FARM by married man with family. One who understands machinery and farm work in every detail. Address, A. C. Fittkin, Redcliff, Alta. 3

PURE BRED PLYMOUTH ROCK cockerels for sale at \$1.50 each. Also young setting hens at \$1 each. Eggs from same breed at 50c setting of 13 or \$3.50 per 100. Apply to Mrs. A. G. Edwards, Cluny. 52f

ESTRAY—GREY HORSE, ABOUT 10 or 11 years old, branded 5 pointed star, bar below and quarter circle above on left hip.—Duncan Clark, Cluny. 3

\$10 REWARD FOR INFORMATION leading to the recovery of a bay mare colt 2 years old, four white feet. Branded **—Z—** on left thigh.—R. Riches, (formerly A.W. Demarest) Box 91, Gleichen. See 22, 1p23, 122.

DON'T BUY LAND UNTIL YOU have seen Queenstown. Proven to be Alberta's best grain growing district. A few whole, half and quarter sections improved and unimproved, east of Snake Lake, at reasonable prices.—John Glanbeck, Milo p. o., Alberta.

FOR SALE OR RENT—S. E. 1 SEC. 30, 1wp. 19, r. 20, west of 4th meridian, Alberta. Apply to John McEwen, Gleichen, or James Halfpenny, Box 38, Rudyard, Montana. 3

WANTED—CHORE MAN, USED to milking cows. Apply to Roy M. Allen. 51f

FOR SALE—SIX HEAD OF GELD- ings weighing from 1200 to 1500 lbs. All well broken. Also several milk cows, and seed Banner oats which yielded 141 bu. per acre.—M. Bollinger, Gleichen. 2

SEED MARQUIS WHEAT FOR sale. Cleaned and ready for seeding at 90c per bushel. Apply, I. B. Hayes. 2

EVERYONE READS THESE ADS— you are doing it now! You will find that it pays to study them over carefully.

EGGS FOR SETTING FROM PURE bred Barred Rocks, \$1 per 100 or \$1 per setting of 15. Frank Daw, Gleichen. 40f

WANTED, MARQUIS SEED WHEAT in any quantity up to 3000 bushels. Also a few hundred bushels of barley and oats. Samples of three lbs to be left at the Call office for inspection, with price f.o.b. train.—Box J, Call office, Gleichen. 40f

TEACHER WANTED FOR WIL- lard School district No. 2176 of Alberta. Term eight months, duties to commence 1st of April. State salary and certificate to D. M. Eckhards, sec-treas., Queenstown, Alta.

ESTRAY — ON MY PREMISES, one black colt, one year old this spring. No brand visible. White stripe in face. Left hind foot white. C. S. Chase, see 10-22-21, Cluny. 3

HORSES FOR SALE — 20 YOUNG mares four and five years old. Well broke, gentle, and in foal. For sale at right prices.—G. Muir, box 10, Gleichen. 40f

FOR SALE — DALMATIAN PUP- PIES. The best barn watch dogs bred. Nicely spotted. Prices \$5, \$7.50 and \$10 each.—Mike Brown, Namaka. 47f

SEED WHEAT FOR SALE — 700 bushel Marquis wheat, raised on summer fallow yielding 40 bu. to the acre, for sale at 90c per bushel.—John Glanbeck, see 14-119-21, Queenstown. 1f

WANTED—At once 150 or 200 young hogs just weaned. Write box 150 Gleichen stating price. 31f

\$10 REWARD each for the recovery of three gelding saddle horses, branded **CC** on left shoulder. Owner of all cattle branded **A** on left ribs.—J. V. Drumbeller, C. Ranch, Cayley. 41f

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Observant

Be observant, my son, said little Willie's father. Cultivate the habit of seeing and you will be successful. Yes, added his uncle. Don't go through the world blindly. Learn to use your eyes.

Little boys who are observing know a great deal more than those who are not, his aunt said.

Willie took this advice to heart. Next day he informed his mother that he had been observing things.

Uncle's got a bottle of whisky hidden in his trunk, he said. Aunt has got an extra set of teeth in her drawer, and father's got a pack of cards behind the books in his desk.

The little sneak, exclaimed the members of the family indicated.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

Wahklakum county, the smallest in the state of Washington, has a woman clerk, Miss Mary C. Cooper, and her work has been highly complimented in a recent report of the bureau of inspection.

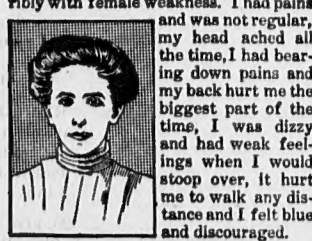
Hot Air

My wife made it hot for me this morning. How was that? I insisted on her getting up to conceal a lot of ignorance.

BLUE AND DISCOURAGED

Mrs. Hamilton Tells How She Finally Found Health in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Warren, Ind.—"I was bothered terribly with female weakness. I had pains and was not regular, my head ached all the time, I had bearing down pains and my back hurt me the biggest part of the time. I was dizzy and had weak feelings when I would stoop over, it hurt me to walk any distance and I felt blue and discouraged.



"I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and am now in good health. If it had not been for that medicine I would have been in my grave a long time ago."—Mrs. ANNE E. HAMILTON, R. F. D. No. 6, Warren, Ind.

Another Case.

Edmond, R. I.—"I write to tell you how much good your medicine has done me and to let other women know that there is help for them. I suffered with bearing down pains, headache, was irregular and felt blue and depressed all the time. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and commenced to gain in a short time and I am a well woman today. I am on my feet from early morning until late at night running a boarding house and do all my own work. I hope that many suffering women will try your medicine. It makes happier wives and mothers."—Mrs. ANNA HANSEN, Edmond, Rhode Island.

W. N. U. 990

NO WASHDAY

The Co-Operative Plan to be Extended In the Rural Home

No washday this week or next week, washday a thing of the past, a memory of steaming clothes and soapuds and stinging fingers in the bitter winter weather. Would that make any difference to the life of the farmer's wife? Honest now, has the farmer's wife been getting a square deal? The farmer has machinery to help him but the "new fangled things" for making household light are too expensive for the farmer to think of getting. The farmer has no day when it is wet and slack times during the winter—but his wife must cook and sweep day in and day out, winter and summer.

Well, in one community in a Western state they have banished wash-day. In the village these progressive farmers have established a co-operative laundry. For some time there has been a co-operative creamery and one begins to wonder where there is no washing where will end? Someone thought that if machinery could do the good thing has led to another. Once work it was cheaper in the long run than wearing out his wife—the idea "caught on." To someone else occurred the idea that the man who collected the cream cans might just as well take the clothes to and from the laundry. Here there was a very great saving in expense.

In some of our Western communities perhaps the consolidated School Van driver might do the work. Its worth thinking about and worth a trial.

Not long ago, I came across a report of a Dry Farming Congress held in Western Canada. Why should all the good things said in a conventional farming paper be in reports? The following from a paper on the Model Rural School by Mrs. Marie Turner Harvey may drive home my theory that wash day at least should be cut out of the weekly round.

One Farm Woman's Work

It has been wisely said that a nation cannot rise higher than its women. As your women are, so will be your nation. "Educate a boy and you educate an individual. Educate a girl, and you educate a whole family." However, I am pleading for the best possible education for both boy and girl, for both are equally concerned in the business of home-making—the chief business of the nation—since the home is the unit of American civilization. The district school, supported by public funds, with its lack of denominational leanings, officers and best local point for an institution that can serve the whole family with a greater degree of efficiency than it has ever done.

I yield not to the temptation of suggesting to you why the farm women cannot exert the influence they should in the school, church and social work of their district. Recently, when this subject came up for discussion before my class studying "Country Life and Problems," a young man, in order to make his point clear, gave a summary of his mother's daily routine of work at that season of the year. It ran somewhat like this:

1. Rise at 4:30 a.m.
2. Prepare breakfast while men milk cows.
3. Leave dishes, hurry to the cellar and strain milk—get cold water from the distant well to chill milk—carry out the sour and swimmil milk for pigs, calves and chickens; wash milk vessels and carry out "to sun."
4. Hurry, feed poultry.
5. Hurry, wash dishes.
6. Hurry, gather vegetables and fruit for dinner.
7. Prepare the same for table.
8. On certain days churning, baking, washing and ironing are done.
9. Feed poultry.
10. Prepare dinner.
11. Wash dishes, feed poultry, sew or mend, "put up" fruit or vegetables.
12. Get supper, wash dishes, look after poultry and milk, work in the garden.
13. Scrub kitchen on certain evenings—after the family have retired, to prevent "tracking the floor."
14. Retire about 9 p.m.

This program, you notice, takes no account of her work with the younger children. Often the farm woman must supply the wood-box, coal-hod, bring in the water from a distant well, milk the cows and spade the garden. That the average American farm is overburdened with physical labor, and that her complex duties of mother and housekeeper are carried on under inexcusable hard conditions as compared with those that obtain on the farm, must be charged to traditional habits of thought; yet the effect on the human and community life is a large factor in producing the very conditions from which a large percentage of country people seek to escape by moving to towns.

The life history of too many farm women and the relation of their industrial status to their social life is pretty well told in the few lines I shall quote from Hamlin Garland:

Born and scrubbed, suffered and died. That's all you need to say, elder. Never mind sayin' made a bride. Nor when her hair got gray.

That fits it—say, y' breath. Made me think of a clock run down. Sure's y' born, that old woman did: A workin' at 'er 'ol Ben Brown. Patient as Job an' meek as a kid. Till she sort o' stopped one day—Heart quit dekin', a feller'd say. Wasn't old, Luther, forty-six. No. Jes' got hump, an' thin an' gray, Washin' and churin' an' sweepin' by Joe.

For fourteen hours or more a day. Worked to death. Starved to death. Dried 'er rest, but 'er just a breath. O' simple praise 'er what she'd done. And man's the woman this very day. Elder, dyin' slow in that selfsame way.

Contributed by J. S. V. Odsworth, Secretary, Canadian Welfare League, Room 10, Industrial Bureau, Winnipeg.

Wouldn't it be feasible for the American colleagues to institute a course leading to, say the degree of D.P.C. in, Doctor of Participial Constructions.

HOW PEOPLE FEEL
When They Have
TAPE WORM

Tape worm is bred from a parasite. This parasite is a creature, male and female in one. It is of pea shape, having two, four and six suckers. It lays the eggs, which are only connected together with films. They develop and form a body, which is the worm.

Each joint is an individual having a sucker or mouth. The worm grows much longer than the bowel, where it is located, and sometimes a whole colony of them are found, enough to fill a quart of solid food, and when put in a bucket of water would apparently fill it. It is the hardest task in the world to destroy this parasite without doing injury to the individual who may be its unfortunate as to have it, as the parasite clings to the bowels, feeding itself from the body of the worm, and remains there to breed another. It is an internal demon, and causes its victim to suffer all the symptoms of disease imaginable. The cleverest physicians are led to believe the patient is suffering from some other disease as nearly every person has different symptoms. Some have been treated for cancer of the bowels, consumption of the bowels, chronic dyspepsia, nervous prostration, melancholia, hypochondria, hysteria, inflammation of bowels, appendicitis, and other complaints, when one or more of these internal demons were eating their lives away.

Prof. Mulveny has made the discovery to free the victim of this monster, without injury to the system, destroying the parasite as well as expelling the worm with one dose of medicine without any previous starvation. Visit his office, where he has in his possession the most wonderful collection of these death-dealing monsters in the world, which have been expelled from hundreds of people by his famous remedy, some bottles containing colonies of worms, and anyone seeing them cannot imagine how a person could possibly live with them in his bowels.

It is surprising the number of people that have them. Thousands have them and are not aware of the fact. The letters and testimonials the Professor has in his possession are enough to convince us of it is alarming fact. Some of the most prominent symptoms are ravenous appetite, dizzy spells, headaches, cramps in the bowels, a feeling of something moving in the bowels, also a feeling as though something was crawling up the throat. The only certainty of having one in the system is when segments or joints are seen, which come away almost any time. They are flat, and from three-quarters of an inch to an inch long, which have often been mistaken for pin worms by those who do not know the difference. There are many other feelings of distress which would take too long to enumerate. Strange to say, some people of strong constitution have very little distress.

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A pallid cast, to beauty's cost Will tell of slumber that you lost.

A not infrequent little line Will say you looked upon the wine.

Approaching age, too swiftly met, Will tell us something of your set.

A sea of troubles from within Will babble of what might have been.

The graying hair behind your ears Will quite epitomize the years.

Be sure your sins will find you out At forty-five or hereabout.

Society Gossip

Percy Plentypunks—I hear strange stories about how Betty treated her husband. Marigold Malaprop—Yes; they say she kisses him in the parlor and kicks him in the basement.

Murphy was assistant cook on board a trooper bound for India. The first morning he forgot to wash the boiler out after breakfast, consequently there were tea leaves on the surface of the soup when dinner was served. To clear himself of the blame he went to the respective messes and said: "If yez found an' itay leaves in the soup you'll know it's mint."

Evad n' the Question

Missus—Are you a good cook? Applicant—Yes'm. I go to church every Sunday.

No man or woman should hobble painfully about because of corns when so certain a relief is at hand as Holway's Corn Cure.

An American motoring through a small Scotch town was pulled up for excessive speed. Didn't you see that notice: Dead Slow? Inquired the policeman. "Course I did, returned the Yankee, but I thought it referred to your town."

The French have figured it out to show that in 1908 there was one death of an aviator for every 1,600 kilometers flown while in 1912 there was one death for every 140,000 kilometers flown. As we see it, they simply fly a little farther now to come to the same end.

SASKATCHEWAN SEED FAIR

Splendid Exhibits and Great Interest Taken in the Competition

The annual Provincial Seed Fair for the Province of Saskatchewan, which was held during the last two weeks in January, proved to be the finest exhibit of good seed that has ever been shown in Saskatchewan and doubtless that has ever been shown anywhere as a distinctly seed fair. The classes were exceedingly well filled. There were forty-four exhibits of wheat and notwithstanding the fact that the number of classes and sections have been greatly increased under this year's prize list, scarcely a section was unrepresented. It is notable that there was an excellent exhibit of field peas, the various classes, and also corn. The judges, James Murray, General Manager of the South Alberta Wheat Lands, T. J. Harrison, Superintendent of the experimental farm, Indian Head, and Frank Reed, representative of the Dominion Seed Bureau, declared that the exhibit was superior to any they had seen.

The list of prize winners is here-with appended.

Red Five Wheat (Winning 1st Prize in Standing Fields Competition)

1st, Moose Jaw Agricultural Society, Moose Jaw; 2nd, Davis Brothers, Perdue; 3rd, E. A. Frederick, Maple Creek; 4th, R. H. Carter, Fort Qu'Appelle; 5th, Valentin Unterschutts, Melville; 6th, The Hall Farm, Blucher; 7th, W. R. Abbott, Maple Creek; Marquis Wheat (Winning 1st Prize in Standing Fields Competition)

1st, Herbert Shanon, Kinley; 2nd, J. J. Langlan, Elfron; 3rd, Wm. Pain, Howell; 4th, John Turnbull, Moffatt; 5th, John Illingworth & Sons, Roscliffe; 6th, David Laing, Stockholm; 7th, Wm. Barnett, Elfron; 8th, Leon Dionne, Vonda.

Red Five (Open to All)

1st, J. J. Langlan, Elfron; 2nd, Moose Jaw Agricultural Society, Moose Jaw; 3rd, Wm. McDermid, Halcynia; 4th, Alex Laing, Stockholm; 5th, L. H. Aude, Howard; 6th, O. B. Stauffer, Arcola; 7th, Robert Fraser, Churchbridge; 8th, Max Schnitter, Nutana.

Marquis Wheat (Open to All)

1st, Cutler Brothers, Rouleau; 2nd, Wm. Henley & Sons, Qu'Appelle; 3rd, Jas. H. Newsome, Lumsden; 4th, J. W. H. Reddick, Maple Creek; 5th, J. J. Langlan, Elfron; 6th, E. L. Plank, Rouleau; 7th, C. W. Weppler, Vanguard; 8th, John Turnbull, Moffatt.

Any Other Named Variety of Spring Wheat

1st, Wm. Blesenthal, Windthorst; 2nd, Adm. Little, Disley; 3rd, R. O. Keeser, Imperial; 4th, Davis Brothers, Perdue; 5th, Wilfrid Wilde, Broadview.

Any Named Variety of Winter Wheat

1st, E. J. Blesicks, Cotham. Class of Championship "Farm Crops Trophy and \$25.00 Gold medal," won by Cutler Brothers, Rouleau, Sask.

The Purify Flour Cup for best bush of Red Five, won by J. J. Langlan, Elfron, Sask.

The Millers Cup for the best bushel of prize winning wheat to be determined by a milling and baking test without regard for its value as seed. Results will be made known later.

White Oats (winning prize in Standing Fields Competition. Competition in 1913. 1st, Samuel Stoltz, Nokomis, Sask.

White Oats Long (Banner Oats)

1st, O. W. Williams, Vanguard; 2nd, C. Olson, Spy Hill; 3rd, E. L. Plank, Rouleau; 4th, A. Hardy, Kilohurst; 5th, W. E. Caery, Windthorst; 6th, Max Schnitter, Nutana; 7th, Joseph Drury, Stoughton.

White Oats Medium (Abundance Oats)

1st, Cutler Brothers, Rouleau; 2nd, Wm. Hastie, Foam Lake; 3rd, S. A. Lord, Redvers; 4th, Cashmere Brothers, Maple Creek; 5th, Wilfrid Wilde, Broadview; 6th, J. G. Levthwalte, Redvers; 7th, Samuel Stoltz, Nokomis; 8th, T. Henry Hood, Volsley.

White Oats Short (Victory Oats)

1st, Geo. A. Harris, Heward; 2nd, A. Austman, Spy Hill. Oats (Any Other Named Variety) 1st, Wilfrid Wilde, Broadview.

Six Rowed Barley (Any Named Variety)

1st, Max Schnitter, Nutana; 2nd, Herbert Shanon, Kinley; 3rd, Valentin Unterschutts, Melville. Two Rowed Barley (Duck Billed Type) 1st, McDonald & Harrison, Fort Qu'Appelle; 2nd, Ashton Stoneman, Northack; 3rd, W. H. Beeley, Belbeck; 4th, T. H. K. Pain, Vonda.

Two Rowed Barley (Chevalier Type)

1st, Robt. N. Douglas, Tantallon; championship the Brewera Type Trophy and \$25.00 gold medal, won by McDonald and Harrison, Fort Qu'Appelle.

Flax (Any Variety)

1st, A. Hardy, Kilohurst; 2nd, Roy F. Langton, Maple Creek; 3rd, O. W. Williams, Vanguard; 4th, Moose Jaw Agricultural Society, Moose Jaw.

Peas

1st, F. J. Dash, Hillesden; 2nd, E. M. Evans, Saskatoon. Corn 1st, Cutler Brothers, Rouleau; 2nd, E. L. Plank, Rouleau.

Timothy

1st, C. W. May, Windthorst; 2nd, S. W. Burns, Stoughton; 3rd, A. Neville, Cottorwood; 2nd, Jeremiah Coffey, Dalestoro.

Western Rye Grass

1st, W. J. Creighton, Stalwart; 2nd, T. W. Burns, Stoughton. Potatoes (Any Late White) 1st, Wm. Temple Way, Broadview; 2nd, The Hall Farm, Blucher; 3rd, E. N. Evans, Saskatoon.

Potatoes (Any Late Pink) 1st, E. N. Evans, Saskatoon. Potatoes (Any Early White) 1st, E. N. Evans, Saskatoon; 2nd, Max Schnitter, Saskatoon.

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Another Sign of Old Age When you begin to wish that all your rooms were on the ground floor you are beginning to become old.

Probably

Blx—I see that someone is getting up a "Woman's Dictionary." Dix—More words in it, I suppose.

What Did he Mean

She—Do you remember how you used to call me your angel before we were married? He—Yes, dear; and I wonder how you ever consented to marry such a blundering old fool.

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Putting it in his pocket, he said: I have worked pretty hard; I will take a short nap.

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Farmers and Credit.
Among the number of resolutions which were passed
at the Saskatchewan Grain Growers convention held at
Moose Jaw there was none more interesting than that of
the Hon. George Langley. It was: Resolved that we ask
the provincial government to enact a law to: 1 Confine the
selling agents of machinery to the boundaries of cities,
towns, villages and hamlets; 2 Make illegal the hypothe-
cating for seizure of any chattels exempted from seizure
under the Exemption act; 3 All sales to be made under a
uniform legal contract which shall contain an implied
warranty where no definite warranty is stated; 4. That no
contract for the sale of any machinery over \$100 shall be
legal unless witnessed by two persons who shall be residents
of the district where the sale is made.

The solution was adopted unanimously. Primarily
it is meant for a shield for the farmer, who, it is said, is
over persuaded to buy machinery for which he has no use
and could very well do without. Obviously, it is a veiled
confession on the part of the farmer that buying on time is
one of his greatest weaknesses, and that unable to wage
efficient warfare against the bandishments of the machine
agents, he would ask the law to hedge him about in order
that his position may be rendered more secure.

This is one of the instances in which there is repara-
tion in confession, victory in defeat. The farmers are
beginning to recognise the evils of piling up a load of
credit which has to be met some day. Credit that is
inordinate and beyond all hope of ever being cancelled. It
has been said, and not untruly, that if the farming com-
munity of Canada could suspend unnecessary buying for
twelve months the country would experience the greatest
incentive which has ever fallen to its lot. The machinery
business employs men who are of the first calibre in the
art of salesmanship, and against these it is hard for the
farmer to resist, just as it is for the merchant to gently but
firmly repulse the drummer who comes around with a new
fangled labor saving device for book-keeping. The intru-
sion of a customer has many a time, by allowing the
merchant a moment's consideration and breathing space,
saved him from making a useless investment. But in the
case of a farmer it is different. He is found alone on his
farm and can be talked to for a day, as he very often is
and buys for the sake of getting rid of the seller. But if
he gets rid of the seller he has still got the bargain on his
hands and has to do the paying with the result that the
money has often to be raised by shipping his grain when
the prices are bad, or if his crop is poor, selling off a few
head of stock which are worth much more to him than
their face value. In the end he finds himself disastrously
out of pocket by the machine deal. Who is to blame for
this state of affairs? The convention seems to have an-
swered the question by passing the resolution.

Of course, it cannot be supposed for one moment
that the machine companies would allow the resolution
plain sailing. They would do all in their power to thwart
the projects and rightfully insist that all other salesmen be
placed on the same footing as it is proposed to place them.
If the farmers succeed in getting some such restric-
tions placed it will be the first general organized movement
against the credit habit which has taken such a hold on
the prairie provinces. A young country which is in the
making must have money above what it itself possesses,
and in order to get it it is necessary that a system of credit
should be adopted. All very well and good when not over
done, but there is rather more than a chance that every-
body from farmers to city councils and legislative assem-
blies are in the habit of trying to bite off rather more than
they can chew, with the result that lock jaw sets in.

Big headlines on financial questions and the manner
on which Canadian loans are snapped up on the London
market are all very well but those loans have to be coped
with sooner or later, and who is it who will have to figure
on the top line of the national assessment? The farmer.
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We also have some excellent values in rebuilt cars repainted and overhauled.

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McLEOD BROS., Gleichen

Last week another attempt was made to start a "body house" in Gleichen, but Chief Roberts and Corporal Irvine very quickly put a stop to it by arresting the keeper, inmate and three frequenters, all of whom were non-residents of this town. Justice Vigar find the keeper \$25 and costs or 60 days; the inmate \$10 and costs or 30 days; and the frequenters \$5 and costs or 30 days. All have since paid their fines, but some were locked up a few days awaiting the price from Calgary friends.

It is about time the C.P.R. added an express agent to its Gleichen staff. The freight man has been trying to fill the two positions for sometime past, but it has been in a most unsatisfactory manner to all concerned, and many valuable hours have been wasted by busy people. If one goes to or 'phones the depot for the freight man it is learned he is at the freight shed, in the yard or perhaps unloading a car. By the time one reaches the freight shed it is learned he may be at the station seeing about some express or gone to dinner. If you catch him after hours he is not bashful in suggesting that the accommodation is worth considering, and it is.

It's difficult for a newly-married man to generate much enthusiasm over his bride's beautiful hair after he has seen her pile it on the bureau for the night.

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Evans & Riddell have decided to put on a big auction sale of horses, cattle, farm implements, etc., on March 25th and have secured the services of T. H. Beach as auctioneer.

New subscribers are getting more numerous around the Call office. But don't tell your friend who has not yet subscribed, to stay away on account of the crush. Send him along—we can handle them all.

It sometimes happens that a boy learns some very bad habits by not following in the footsteps of his father.

It is better for a girl to be given in marriage than it is for a man to be sold.

The grass is beginning to sprout already.

When the whole blame world seem Gone to pot and business is on the bum,
A 2-cent grin and a lifted chin Helps some, my boy, helps some.

A profitable and pleasant time was had at the literary evening held in the Methodist church last Friday evening and a fairly large audience was present. Rev. Gandier gave a splendid talk concerning Robert Louis Stevenson, while Mr. Calan discussed Tennyson in his usual entertaining manner. Vocal solos were acceptably rendered by Mrs. Maclean. Following this, refreshments were served and a general good time enjoyed.

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Alberta Stock Yards, Calgary and Gleichen

Calgary, March 14, 1914
Receipts of live stock this week were as follows:

Cattle - Horses - Hogs - Sheep

740 220 5600 1532

With heavy receipts this week the market was a little slower. Good choice cattle sold from 10 to 20 cents lower. We sold 48 choice cattle averaging thirteen hundred at \$7.40. These were fed by A. Gilmore of Lacombe and sold to J. Dixon for the Swift Canadian Co., Vancouver. Other lots at \$7 and \$7.20. Stock cattle find a little better demand, and there are more enquiries for them. Hogs if anything a little easier, choice selling at \$8.10 to \$8.25, medium around \$8 and lights graded.

NOTE--We have for sale a car load of Registered Short horn Bulls just arrived from the East.

We beg to quote the following prices fed and watered for next week:

—STEERS—

Choice heavy butcher, 1100 to 1300 \$7.00 to \$7.25

Common butcher 1000 to 1200 6.25 to 6.75

Stockers 500 to 900 5.50 to 6.25

—HEIFERS—

Choice heavy 5.50 to 6.25

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Stockers 5.00 to 6.00

—COWS—

Choice heavy 5.75 to 6.00

Common 4.75 to 5.00

Thin 4.00 to 4.50

Springers, choice \$8.00 to \$8.00

common \$4.00 to \$8.00

Calves (under 200 pounds, heavies graded) \$8.00

Bulls \$4.50 to \$5.25

Oxen 4.00 to 5.50

Sheep (wethers) 6.00

" (ewes) 5.50

Lambs (milk) 6.00

Hogs (Heavies and sows graded) 8.00

to \$8.25

WESTERN FREIGHT RATES

An Attempt to Divide the Forces Fighting For Reduction

Strong objection is made by Mr. J. E. Walsh, manager of the Transportation Department of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, to the alleged efforts of the Canadian Northern Railway to divide the forces of the Western farmers and the Canadian manufacturers who are fighting for a readjustment of Western freight rates.

The Manufacturers' organization, through its Transportation Department, has been in the forefront of the battle for reduced freight rates for years, and there has been hardly any move in the Western freight rates investigation, which has been going on for several years now, about which the manufacturers' expert has not been consulted by those in charge of the case for the Western shipper. The manufacturers were the first to engage a trained railway expert for independent advice in transportation problems, and they gladly put his services at the disposal of all shippers fighting for better rates and conditions. The manufacturers are, therefore, rather exercised against the C.N.R. for permitting the following circular to be posted by its agents in some of the outlying stations in the prairie provinces:—

"To whom it may concern.

"It has come to the notice of the agents of the Canadian Northern Railway that certain manufacturers are bringing pressure to bear upon the Railway Commission to obtain many reductions in the present freight tariffs. The effect of the proposed reductions will not, it is sure, be of benefit to the farmers of this district in any way, as it will not be utilized to reduce the cost to the consumer. The reductions, if they become effective, will, however, prove a very serious detriment to the farmers of Saskatchewan, at the Canadian Northern Railway, in common with the other railways operating in the province, will be compelled to do much less construction work than is at present contemplated, as well as the ordering of new equipment to handle the present year's grain crop, and farmers will find that branches which they expected to help them out in various parts of the province will not be constructed on account of the Canadian Northern being unable to finance the work."

Replying to this circular, which was first published in the Winnipeg Free Press, Mr. Walsh states:—

"The attempt to draw off the fire of the Western farmers by telling them that the chief demand for a readjustment of freight rates originated with the Eastern manufacturers who wanted to increase their profits in trading with the West is too apparent to be effective. The readjustment of freight rates must come in the near future, and the railways would strengthen their position with Government and people if they bowed to the inevitable instead of maintaining a costly warfare against the wishes of the country. We are quite aware of the sacrifices made and the efforts put forth by the Canadian Northern Railway in transportation. We are also aware of the enormous grants of land and money which have been made to that railway company by the people and Government of Canada. The farmers of the West have paid their share in taxes and have aided the railway by patiently submitting to poor service in order that the company might save its money to build new lines. The manufacturers have tolerated poor service and high charges for the same reason. The manufacturers want to see the great system of the Canadian Northern develop and flourish."

MILLING INDUSTRY

It Pays Good Wages, and Affords Employment For a Large Number of People

An important element that enters into the free wheat discussion is the fact that the building of large mills in the various centres of Western Canada has provided a stability and diversity of employment which has been long felt as a great need. The employees of the flour mills in Western Canada spend their money in Western Canada over the counters of Western Canadian merchants and among the farmers of the surrounding community. If we sent our wheat over to the United States to be milled all this money would be spent among United States people for the building up of their communities. It would seem, therefore, that unless the Western farmer is sure he is going to get a substantial increase in price he should be very slow to advocate a change which is bound to bring serious disadvantages not only for the Canadian miller, but for the mixed farmer, and all Western communities, which already have or are seeking big mills.

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There is no risk in buying GIN PILLS. They are sold on a positive guarantee that they will cure all Kidney and Bladder Troubles, Rheumatism and Sciatica. Pain in the Back, etc. If, after taking 6 boxes, you can honestly say that GIN PILLS have not cured you, take the empty boxes to your dealer and he will refund the money. That shows how certain we are that GIN PILLS will cure you. 60c, a box; 6 for \$2.50. Sent on receipt of price if your dealer can't supply you. Sample free if you mention this paper. 186

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We have just got out a very complete "Poultry Guide"—it tells pretty nearly everything there is to know about chickens. We would like to send it to you if you will write for it—absolutely free.

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Deep-Seated Objection
Our boy has such a refined sense of humor!
Yes, I have noticed he evinces the greatest dislike to anything resembling the slap stick.

Suggests the Midway
He—Have you read about this fight over the Hetch Hetchy?
She—No, but I think all those immoral dances ought to be stopped.

Children, said the teacher to his pupils, you should be able to do anything equally well with either hand. With a little practice you will find it just as easy to do anything with one hand as it is with the other.
Is it required the urchin at the foot of the class. Let's see you put your left hand in the right hand pocket of your trousers.

Hard Luck
Wasn't Jack a suitor for Miss Richleigh's hand?
Yes, but he didn't.
Didn't what?
Suit her.

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If you have Red, Weak, Watery Eyes or Granulated Eyelids. Doesn't Smart—Soothes Eye Pain. Druggists Sell Murine Eye Remedy, Liquid, 25c, 50c. Murine Eye Salve in Asseptic Tubes, 25c, 50c. Eye Books Free by Mail. Ask Eye Doctor Good for All Eyes that Need Care. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago

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TO PREVENT CAR SHORTAGE

Car Efficiency Best Promoted by Co-Operation

The Board of Trade News of Toronto recently printed an article on how best to prevent car shortage and among other things points out that car efficiency can best be attained in the following manner:

1. By the satisfactory handling of traffic with the least number of cars, which can best be accomplished by the ordering of cars of suitable dimensions and loading same to their full capacity.

As an illustration: Assuming a tonnage of 3,000,000 tons is loaded and transported in 250,000 cars, or twelve tons per car. An increase in the load to 15 tons would result in the same tonnage being transported in 200,000 cars, thereby freeing 50,000 cars for other service. A firm shipping 5 cars of 12 tons each day for 300 working days, by increasing the average load per car to 15 tons, move the same volume of traffic in 120 instead of 150 cars.

2. Handling the business in the smallest number of car days. The railways should transport the freight quickly, supplemented by prompt loading and unloading of cars by their patrons. The full free time permitted by the Car Service Rules should not be taken advantage of unless actually necessary.

3. Shippers and consignees should ascertain whether their facilities are amply sufficient to ensure the prompt handling of their freight, and the ordering of cars for loading and unloading should be arranged so as to lose no time in handling when placed.

The News believes that the public as well as the railways have duties to perform to prevent a shortage of cars.

In a certain small English village there were two butchers living on the same street. One placed his sausage at one shilling a pound, and the other placed his at eight pence on his card. Number one then placed a notice in his window, saying that sausages under one shilling could not be guaranteed. Number two's response to this was the announcement: "I have 500 sausages to the king in number one's window the following morning appeared an extra large card bearing the words: "God Save the King."

Oh, That This, Etc., Etc.
Maud—Whenever Mr. Statlyate calls he makes me think of Hamlet.
Ethel—Why so?
Maud—Like Hamlet, he "cannot resolve himself into action."

Money Wasted
With a very weary sigh she tossed the magazine aside.
What is the matter, dear? her husband asked.
I've read nearly every story in this thing, she said, and I haven't found a line that I should not wish my daughter to see, if I had one. It's 15 cents wasted.

After the Engagement
Mother—I suppose, dear, that Jack will be coming round to see me?
Daughter—Oh, that's all right. He said he had seen you and he wanted to marry me just the same.

SHE WAS HELPLESS FOR TWO YEARS

WHY MRS. BALDWIN RECOMMENDS DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

She Could Find Nothing to Cure Her Rheumatism Till On a Neighbor's Advice She Tried Dodd's Kidney Pills.

St. Walburg, Sask.—(Special)—I am a truly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills for any one suffering from Rheumatism. These are the words of Mrs. W. A. Baldwin, a highly respected resident of this place. And Mrs. Baldwin gives her reasons.
"I was nearly helpless with rheumatism for two years," she states. "I got medicine from the doctor, and tried several other remedies but nothing helped me. Then one of my neighbors advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I bought four boxes, and they helped almost from the first. I have used nearly two dozen boxes and am nearly cured."

That rheumatism is one of the results of diseased kidneys is again shown in Mrs. Baldwin's case. She had headaches, stiffness of the joints and backaches, her sleep was broken and unrefreshing, and she was always tired and nervous. Her limbs swelled and she was always thirsty. There are all symptoms of diseased kidneys. When she cured her kidneys with Dodd's Kidney Pills the symptoms vanished—and so did the rheumatism.

Plausible Sign
Glady—Jack is horrid! When we were out tonight, a little bug flew right into my mouth, and I asked him of what that was a sign.
Clytie—What did he say it meant?
Glady—That I should keep my mouth shut.

Some Use for Him
Mr. Beck Hall—Good afternoon, Miss Radcliffe. Going for a walk?
I hope I may accompany you?
Miss Radcliffe—Yes, Dr. Sargent says we must always walk with some object, and I suppose you will answer the purpose.

Wife—John, what is alfalfa?
Hub—Oh, that's merely a slang term for whiskeys.

Man oposed
No doubt you'd scorn a valentine Of silk and sugar and perfume. But won't you try my new design? 'Twill change you Miss, to Mrs.

A colleague of mine writes, in an account of a shipwreck: Being swept from stem to stern by tremendous waves the captain abandoned the ship. Extremes meet, but they don't always speak as they pass by.

DO LONG BREATHS HURT?

DANGEROUS PLEURISY ALWAYS BEGIN THIS WAY

Speciest Cure is Nervine—Ouch, that tab-like pain in the side is like a hot knife blade in the ribs! Probably got overheated—cooled too fast—now there is congestion, tightness, such soreness you can't draw a long breath.

This is the beginning of Pleurisy. Pleurisy is far too serious to neglect a minute.

Quickest relief will come from a vigorous rubbing with Nervine. This trusty old pain reliever will fix you up in no time—will take away the congestion—make you well just as it did Mr. Samuel St. Johns, of Stamford, who says:—"In running to catch a train last week I became much overheated. I put up the train window and rode that way in order to get cooled off. In an hour my side was so full of pain and my breathing hurt so much that I thought I had pneumonia. I always carry Nervine in my grip and at destination I rubbed my side thoroughly three times. The warm penetrating effect was soon noticeable and I quickly got relief. Nervine is a constant savior from a serious illness. Any sort of a cold can be quickly taken up with Nervine which is a marvel for reducing inflammation, for relieving congestion in the throat and chest, for curing stitch in the side, lumbago, neuralgia, sciatica or rheumatism. Nothing more soothing or powerful. The 50c. large family size is the most economical. Small trial size 25c. at dealers everywhere."

Larger Yields per Cow
During these short winter days when many cows are dry, and the cows that are milking are not giving very much, would it not be wise to lay plans for improvement of the dairy herd? Seeing that the average household consumer a fair quantity of milk daily all through winter, and seeing that the ice cream trade is not by any means dead during the cold months, is it not a pity that there is not more good milk and sweet cream available? Current prices and good demand should prove an inducement to a large number of producers to go in more strongly for winter dairying. Some of the variations in yields are very marked; it is a common thing month after month to find groups of cows in four adjacent sections averaging one hundred pounds of milk difference, for instance, from 450 to even stages of 100 up to 750 pounds. Many of these poor cows could easily be giving, under better conditions of feed and care, another three or four pounds of fat each per month; after a year or two at cow testing the herds will probably average as many as already have done, considerably more of an increase than that, even as much as forty or forty-five pounds in the year extra per cow.

Lydia found her father in the library. Father, she said, did Robert call on you this morning?

Yes, he did, replied the father; but I couldn't make much out of what he said.

What do you mean?
Well, explained the old gentleman, I understood him to say that he wanted to marry me, and that you had enough to support him, so I told him to go home and write it out.

Li-bye Jugend
Teacher—Tommy Slimson, have you any good excuse for being late?
Tommy (beaming)—Yes, ma'am. Teacher—What is it?
Tommy—Waffles.

The use of looping the loop in an aeroplane is problematical unless it is expected to help in military action by throwing the enemy into a state of dazed admiration.

CORNS, CORNS, CORNS
Tender corns, painful corns soft corns, bleeding corns, every kind of corns that other remedies fail to cure—that's a good many—yield quickly to Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Used forty years in many lands. Largest sale in the world. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. The name you see, tells its story. It removes corns and does it painlessly, but here is a pointer: be sure you get Putnam's. Sold by druggists, price 25c.

No News to Her
Dearest, he said, I couldn't live without you!
I know you couldn't, she replied. That is why I felt so sorry for you the other day when father threatened to cut off my allowance just because we had been married for a year.

Didn't Like Her
So Miss Giddeligh is to be married. Has the young man any brains?
I suppose so. Why do you ask?
Because, if he hasn't there won't be any in the family, that's all.

The cheapness of Mother Graves' Worm Expeller puts it within reach of all, and it can be got at any druggist's.

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Girls should be very careful in selecting a chaperon; many a likely chaperon gets all the attention.

President Suspender
NONE SO EASY

MIXED FARMING

(Continued)

Why Have We Not Had It?
1. Much of the province is the next thing to a natural grain field. Portions that are not, are a natural pasture field and stock has been raised on these portions right along.

In the large areas adapted to grain raising this industry formed at once the simplest, easiest, cheapest and quickest way for a new settler to establish himself. It was the line of least resistance. Credit for farm implements and horses and lumber could readily be secured even though the cost of the creek was high. Land was free or cheap. These conditions all encouraged grain raising and so did the fact that in all advertising whether by Government, railways, or private companies, the possibilities of this country as a grain producing area were chiefly emphasized. Men were invited to come here and grow grain. They came here, and as the above figures indicate, they grew grain.

2. At the same time other conditions were operating to discourage any mixed farming. From ten or twelve years ago down to within the last three or four years markets for live stock grew steadily worse. Transportation conditions surrounding this highly perishable kind of freight left much to be desired. Water supply on many farms and in some cases throughout whole districts was meagre. Capital to engage in mixed farming was not easy to obtain. Every encouragement was given to grain raising. Feeding material rose steadily in price. Consequently rise on the rapid increase of home-made and grain raised, summer hay and even under twelve months the herd law extended rapidly until it now covers more than 80 per cent. of the settled areas of the province. Farm labor that would work raising live stock was hard to secure.

Why Is It Now Coming?
Grain growing has largely become unprofitable. Land, labor, building material, power, and the necessities of life have all increased in price since the bonanza year of 1909. The cost of transporting grain to a distant and highly competitive market has also increased while the world's price of wheat has remained stationary or nearly so.

Thus the grain raisers encountered an increasing cost of production on the one hand and a decreasing price for his product on the other hand. These two prices have now come too close together.

2. Weeds have become much more prevalent in grain growing areas and some of these weeds cannot be controlled under a system of grain raising and summer fallows.

3. Summer labor and harvest labor has not only become more expensive but much less productive, a harvest laborer to day does less for \$2.50 per day than was done ten or twelve years ago for \$1.25.

4. While the above factors have tended to discourage grain growing, prices of live stock and live stock products have not kept up all over the world and not less in Saskatchewan than elsewhere. Thus the present situation, in so far as prices are concerned, is exactly the reverse of what obtained even four years ago.

What Is Being Done to Encourage Mixed Farming in Saskatchewan?
1. The Governments, both Dominion and Provincial, are: (a) expending large sums annually instructing farmers to educate their sons for the wide sphere of work which mixed farming involves; (b) they are experimenting continually to find out the best feeds, the best ways of feeding them, the best kind of stock to which to feed them; (c) they are working for the extension and improvement of markets for live stock and live stock products; (d) they are purchasing stock of utility breeds and distributing it on credit to deserving farmers; (e) they are making loans and where necessary operating co-operative creameries which pay practically no dividends but return the entire value of the cream to the patron after expenses have been paid; (f) they are making grants to Agricultural Societies, exhibiting associations, etc.; the fairs, judging competitions, etc.; the principal purpose of which is to promote the live stock industry; (g) they are seeking to organize the spirit of co-operation wherever it is found to exist in rural districts.

2. The Railway companies are encouraging it by (a) the provision of cheap rates for certain desirable classes of stock; (b) by placing free charge at the disposal of Departments of Agriculture and Colleges of Agriculture special cars and even in some cases special trains for educational work; (c) by in the case of the railway at least, the operation of 20 or 30 mixed farms under practical conditions for demonstration purposes; (d) by also in the case of one railway at least, the distribution of large numbers of live stock to settlers on credit terms.

3. Boards of Trade, City Councils and other urban organizations are assisting (a) by making generous grants to Agricultural organizations; (b) by providing, as for instance Regina has done, suitable accommodation for both summer and winter fairs, and other gatherings of stock men which it is necessary in the nature of things to hold in cities.

Very much has been done in other ways by other organizations and co-operations, but time precludes the mention of all of these.

Proof
Madge—How do you know she was not satisfied with the work of the beauty doctor?
Marlie—She hasn't had any photographs taken.

Quandry
Ted—If you can't decide between your two girls, why not pick the prettier one?
Ned—You see, my boy, the other one has the money.

The only sure thing about the weather is that it is always unusual.

CLEANING WOODWORK

EASY FOR

"Old Dutch" cleans wood-work and floors easily and quickly. Reaches the difficult corners and crevices thoroughly cleaning with little effort.
Don't Be Without It—10c

Tactful Remark

Mrs. Kattleiga, a lady who did not believe her name, got thirsty during a social entertainment, and smilingly mentioned the fact to a group of young men standing near her chair. There was a rush to supply her want, and the young man who reached her first with a glass of water she complimented on his quickness.

Oh, that's nothing, he replied lightly. I am used to it. I got into many a circus and menagerie when I was a boy by carrying water to the elephant.

Hooked
I think Archie Allsard's has made up his mind to marry, said the vivacious blond.

To marry Virgie Skeemer? queried the sparkling brunette.
Uh-huh.
What symptoms do you notice?
Well, he wears a sort of resigned or what's the use, expression on his face and doesn't run when I see her coming now.

Incit!
A pompous country woman and her husband were trying to enter a station platform through one of the porcupine exits. After several determined attempts, some on cried out: Read the sign!

The pompous lady read "Exit," and then said, in a loud voice, "Oh, I thought it was the incit!"

CRIPPLING PAINS OF RHEUMATISM

Cannot Be Cured By Liniments—Must Be Reached Through the Blood
Thousands of men and women suffer severely from rheumatism. Cruel, crippling pains in the muscles and joints make every movement a torture. Many people think rheumatism is due to cold or wet weather, and they try to cure themselves by rubbing liniments on the painful parts. This is a great mistake—the rheumatic poison is in the blood, and liniments and rubbing cannot give more than the most temporary relief. If you are a victim of rheumatism or lumbago you can only rid yourself of it by making your blood rich and pure, for only in this way can the poisons of rheumatism be driven from the system. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured more cases of rheumatism than any other disease, except anaemia, just because they make the rich, red blood that goes right to the root and cause of rheumatism. You cannot be well when your blood is impure, therefore, begin curing your rheumatism to-day with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The following are the particulars of one of the many thousands of cures to the credit of this health-giving medicine.

Mr. Jerome Kadou, St. Jerome, Quebec, says: "A few years ago I was seized with a severe attack of rheumatism. The pains in my back, arms and legs were terrible. I treated with several doctors but they did not help me, and as time went on I was unable to work and began to think that I would be a cripple for life. While in this trying condition a friend who had been cured of rheumatism by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills advised me to try this remedy, and I got a supply of the Pills. I had taken the Pills for several weeks before any improvement was noticed, but one sign of relief came—the improvement from that time on was rapid, and I joyfully continued taking the Pills until every vestige of the trouble disappeared. No one but a similar sufferer can imagine the gratitude I feel for this relief from pain; and because I have since enjoyed perfect health, I urge other rheumatic sufferers to give this medicine a trial."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A Surprise Party
What was that party you voted with years ago?
You mean the one with all the strange and interesting ideas? asked Farmer Cornmeal.

That describes it.
I dunno. It was just one of these political surprise parties somebody's always getting up.

It is said there is about \$12,792,000.00 in the world. And 90 per cent of the inhabitants control the last six figures.

The Beggar—Oh, lady—a halfpenny—but what a pity to open a beautiful bag for such a trifle.

She—I am afraid you couldn't support me in the style to which I have been accustomed.
He—Well, styles are always changing, aren't they?

CLARK'S PLUM PUDDING

Ready to serve after heating—unusually good for quality and flavor. Don't waste your time in preparation. Buy "Clark's" brand.

THE JOHN INGLIS CO., LIMITED

ENGINEERS & BOILERMAKERS

Engines of all kinds. Boilers of all kinds. Plumbing Machinery. Tanks. Heavy Plate Work, etc.—Write for prices.

14 STRACHAN AVE., TORONTO, CANADA

Not Much Less at That

Mistress—So the moving pictures you saw at the Rob Roy were very sad, were they, Mary?

Maid—Yes'm very; but next week's pictures won't be so gloom. The billboard says the Less Miserables will be shown.

One Improvement
My dear, said Mrs. Newlywed, her face flushed with excitement from her afternoon in the kitchen. I want you to be perfectly frank with me now; what would you suggest to improve these doughnuts I made today?

Well, replied Mr. Newlywed, lifting one with a slight effort, I think it might be better if you made the hole bigger.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.
Some time ago I had a bad attack of Quinsy which laid me up for two weeks and cost a lot of money.

Finding the lump again forming in my throat, I banded freely with MINARD'S LINIMENT, and saturating a cloth with the liniment left it on all night.

Next morning the swelling was gone and attributed the warding off of an attack of Quinsy to the free use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

G. F. WORDEN.
St. John.

Those upside down dinners that have stirred London society are no new thing. They are common on board ocean liners and great lakes ships.

High and Low
Naturally the clergyman was annoyed when the waiter asked if the luncheon party would be High Church or Low Church. What on earth has that to do with you? he demanded. A great deal, sir, explained the waiter; if your friends are High Church I must provide more wine; if Low Church, more wittles!

Matchless

helps to women's comfort, physical well-being, and beauty—sure to promote healthy, natural action of the organs of digestion and elimination—The tonic, safe and ever reliable

BEECHAM'S PILLS

The Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World Sold everywhere. In boxes, 25 cents.

KEEPING HOME TRADE

Western View of Civic and Practical Patriotism—Help Your Town

In a timely editorial in a recent issue the Calgary Standard has this to say: "Conservation is a watchword of to-day. Businesses are being made more profitable, oftentimes not so much by extending to new and untapped fields, as by developing the existing field and saving leaks."

Similarly in the life of the trade community. Securing a new industry to locate here would be profitable to our community. But if our people can be persuaded to buy the products of home industries, rather than patronizing the industries of some other town, the same result is accomplished and with much less risk of loss.

The money is placed in circulation here and it helps to build up your own town, rather than helping to build up some other town.

"The man who preaches and practices the idea of patronizing home industries is helping to build up his town just as surely as if he made it some fine gift. And it costs nothing to talk up home enterprises!"

"Prices of goods tend to equalize themselves the world over. If you get an article for less in some distant department store, it is because you have to take more pains and time to get it. Or you have to make it up in payment of express charges, or in the fact that the guarantee of good value is less satisfactory."

All that applies to the development of a town or city through the carrying out of a policy such as advocated above applies with infinitely greater force to the development of a country such as Canada. The Germans with their "Made-in-Germany" policy, and the people of the United States with their "Made-in-U.S.A." slogan, have in the past fifty years made marvellous progress in building up self-contained nations. The opportunity to do likewise lies at Canada's door, and if her rulers are not led astray by false economists, who would tear down the stable trade policy under which Canada has made uniform progress in all fields of development in the past thirty years, there is no doubt that not only Calgary but all other cities and towns in Canada will see a welcome growth in the diversified industries they have within their borders."

FREIGHT TRAFFIC AND INTEREST RATES

Could Canada Pay Interest on Transportation Systems? If Traffic Lessened Owing to Free Wheat

The transportation question is a vital factor in the situation created by the demand for free wheat. In the seventies the Canadian people planned their first Transcontinental railway, feeling that it was essential to the national well-being that there should be an Eastern and Western connection in this vast country. Development since that time has all been along the lines of moving traffic from East to West. To-day we have the original Transcontinental, practically double-tracked, and two new cross-continent railways almost ready for business. We have built up vast facilities at Port William and Port Arthur for the handling of wheat and other crops. Our whole aim has been to have as much of this traffic pass through Canadian channels as was possible. Now it is proposed to change the conditions under which the traffic has been built up on East and West lines, and to send a great part of it to the South. Instead of hauling Canadian wheat on Canadian railways and steamship lines for two or three thousand miles to the seaport, we propose to give the Canadian railways from \$0 to \$00 miles of a haul, merely to the border towns. If we have free wheat every bushel that is sent South from Winnipeg means less money distributed to Canadian railway and steamship employees, the Canadian grain men and their employees, and in fact in Canadian business channels generally. From Winnipeg to Montreal is approximately 1,500 miles, while from Winnipeg to Emerson is 60 miles. The amount of money that is spent in Canada in handling and transporting Canadian wheat via Emerson and via Montreal respectively will be as \$0 to 1,500 under free wheat. Leaving the miller, the railway magnate and the grain man aside, is it safe for the country to embark on a policy which is bound to have serious effects for the railway employees, the mill hands, the mixed breed and all those who are dependent, directly or indirectly, of the traffic and that is created by our vast up?

has but little to do with raising of prices of clothing, shoes and even under free whether as

Town, District and Other Items

Grain seeding started on Monday.

Pete Towers returned last week from a visit to friends and relatives in Nebraska.

Try Mrs. Pollette's for good home cooking. Also clean comfortable rooms to let by the day, week or month.

Agent Gooderham is advertising elsewhere in this issue to purchase 16 teams of work horses next Tuesday, March 24.

Next Monday evening the Oddfellows will entertain their lady friends with a social evening. All visiting brothers are invited.

A Gleichen man estimates that the farmers of Alberta lost at least \$1,500,000 by the newspapers over-estimating last year's crop.

Miss Dickey has returned from attending the millinery openings in Calgary. She is preparing to open in a couple of weeks.

The Bassano Mail makes the startling announcement that the last rail on the Bassano-Swift Current cut-off has been laid at Gleichen!

The lecture given by Mrs. Mary Summerville on "White Slavery" had one excellent feature. It did not last long. Some of the views were also very good.

Glen Campbell of Winnipeg spent Saturday and Sunday at Gleichen in his official capacity inspecting the improvements on the Blackfoot reservation.

The new Masonic Temple was duly opened on Tuesday night. It is located in the T. H. Beach block and is very neatly and conveniently arranged for lodge work.

Owing to a dispute between the owners of the Palace Hotel and the lessee the hotel has been closed since Monday. It is said the differences will be settled in the courts.

Mrs. McLean arrived last week from Scotland to visit her son, H. McLean for a short time. She is 84 years of age but still is enjoying her visit to the different members of her family in Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Merrell, of Lunenburg, are happy in the arrival of a nine and one-half pound boy at their home on Saturday, March 14. Mother and child are doing nicely.

Mr. Forsythe of Cluny met with a painful accident on Friday last. While riding his horse fell and broke his leg in several places. At last reports he was doing as well as could be expected.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather, the crowd present at the social Tuesday evening was rather

small. However, a lively time was had and a very pleasant evening enjoyed. Congratulations are due the Methodist Ladies Aid, under whose auspices the social was given.

The entertainment given in the Cluny school house last Friday evening was well attended and was most thoroughly enjoyed. "Topey Turvy" proved a most amusing play and brought out the fact that Cluny possesses artists of talent that many a large town would be proud to claim. The refreshments and dance that followed were equally as well enjoyed.

The Women's Auxiliary of St. Andrew's church will hold a book name contest at the residence of Mrs. J. W. Jowett on Wednesday, March 25th, from 8 to 5:30 p.m. They will also hold a song name contest at the same place in the evening of the same day commencing at 8 p.m. Refreshments will be served and a collection taken in aid of the funds. Prizes will be awarded to the successful contestants. Each lady and gentleman is requested to bring a card bearing their name and the name of the book or song they represent. All members and friends are cordially invited.

Gleichen's Meteorological Report

The following weather report is supplied by J. W. Jowett, who is officially appointed by the Dominion Government:

	MAX.	MIN.
March 11.....	34	56
12.....	33	61
13.....	34	55
14.....	36	55
15.....	26	55
16.....	25	46
17.....	26	46

Communication

(The Call invites letters re questions of public interest, but does not necessarily agree with the opinions expressed. Name of writer must accompany letter, but name will not be published unless desired.)

Mr. Editor:

How long, oh how long until the U. F. A. of our district learn to keep their place?

Surely there is nothing in the constitution of the farmers society which demands that they shall try to regulate the immigration and emigration of this part of the province.

There seems little doubt that bigger crops are raised without irrigation than with it in the Gleichen district. But the newcomers are not settling here. They are locating thirty to forty miles distant. Who can say the soil formation is not different there? Further, in our district, small grains form the principal crop, while the Bassano irrigationists plan to specialize on sugar beets, so we understand. Can any of the dissenters say irrigation will

fall on sugar beets?

Those who went on the war path to Bassano say that they considered it their duty to warn the newcomers to Alberta. What would be their feelings if they were selling eggs in town and one of their neighbors rushed up and told the storekeeper not to buy the eggs because part of them were spoiled? Nine times out of ten the neighbor would be told to attend his own business, would he not?

Here in Gleichen district we have one of the most prosperous communities in Alberta. Let it be our joy and duty to keep it so and advertise the fact to the world, and by so doing we will have all of this world's goods we need.

Yours truly,
H. SPENCER.

An Irishman's Prayer

Lord, faith and it must have graced Thee to see Thy chosen people criticised by a bunch of Oatmeal Savages; but Lord as thou knowest they know not what they say, being only savages.

To please Thee we will send over a few Orishmen to convert them and also teach them civilization. As thou knowest they are jealous because Thy chosen people the Orish have moust at the lading positions in the country, the same being the ones Thou hast given them. As Thou have seen they ask Thee to shake us the boy the hales over hell but as Thou knowest the place is full of the Scotch now being over crowded as it is. Amen.—Pat.

STEAM BOILER EXAMINATIONS

At the examination held last week by Wm. Gray, Provincial Inspector of steam boilers, the following were the candidates:

J. Emerick (stat. final.)
Ernest Scott (tract. final.)
A. Peterson (tract. final.)

A number of others were present to take the exam; but were not able to furnish proof of experience, so did not write.

Following is taken from C.P.R. latest time table:

Train No. 3—west bound—16.37	
" 4—east bound—16.37	
" 13—west bound— 3.28	
" 14—east bound—24.19	
" Local—west bound—10.55	
" "—east bound—18.36	

Auction Sale of Farm Equipment

at the sec 22-18-22, 5 miles south of
Queenstown, 11 a.m.,

Wednesday, March 25

23 Horses 23 Pigs
13 Cattle
5 sets Work harness
3 good wagons and a complete line of farm machinery.

C.C. Rebbe, Auctioneer

H. Sparke, Jr., Clerk

O. P. Solberg, Owner

FREE FOOD POLICY AND THE FARMERS

Many Independent Farmers View Proposal With Doubt—Could Not Lower Prices Much

While every Canadian is struggling with his own high cost of living problem there is no abounding faith that the removal of all duties off food products would help materially. At best it is viewed as an experiment which might be tried and if found wanting rejected. There is a feeling, however, that certain food producers might find it a costly experiment and while their interests are not paramount it would be unfair to jeopardize their business without abundant evidence being forthcoming that every Canadian will benefit.

The Toronto Weekly Sun, one of the leading farm papers in Canada, of pronounced free trade leanings and of strong friendliness towards Sir Wilfrid and his party, felt compelled to point out that the free food proposal was entirely illogical, that the trade facts set out did not justify the remedy proposed, but, obviously, would check the export of foodstuffs from Canada to the United States.

Even the Ottawa Citizen that within a few months past has been quoted with much satisfaction by low tariff organs, feels compelled to criticize the proposal as a catch cry which has been seized upon by a political party to mend its fortunes without mature consideration. It states that the conditions caused by the high cost of living have been used to make a superficial appeal to the people who suffer as a result. "This slogan," concludes the Citizen, "means nothing in actual or concrete terms."

The Ottawa Journal drives home the lesson. "There are some commodities which Canada might secure at a cheaper price than now were the tariff taken off, but when farmers find it profitable to sell their produce to the United States, one could hardly hope for any material reduction in the cost of living simply by placing American foodstuffs on the free list."

The Robin Hood Mills have their oatmeal mill at Moose Jaw in full operation and are turning out 3,000 barrels daily. Their four mills turn out 2,500 barrels per day.

THE WELD THAT HELD

This fence is made of a special steel, delivered by our own latest improved process, which is stronger than the wire. This welding adds strength and reduces cost. The only welded fence made. Made in 73 different styles for every fence purpose. Tight, bull strong. Yet simply can't afford to miss seeing the Pittsburgh Perfect Fence.

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One Solid Piece of Steel Throughout.

No stamps, ties, twists, or wraps. Wire electrically welded at every contact point—the weld is even stronger than the wire. This welding adds strength and reduces cost. The only welded fence made. Made in 73 different styles for every fence purpose. Tight, bull strong. Yet simply can't afford to miss seeing the Pittsburgh Perfect Fence.



We are exclusive agents for the Pittsburgh Perfect Fence and we have unloaded a Car Load of four different styles, including Hog Fence, Poultry and Garden Fence. We want your fence business and will be glad to talk prices with any one who is in the market for small or large quantities.

GLEICHEN TRADING CO.

Gleichen Grain Market

SPRING WHEAT

1 Northern	74
2 Northern	72
3 Northern	69
4 Northern	62
5 Northern	57
6 Northern	54
Feed	49
2 C.W. Oats	26
Ex. 1 Feed Oats	25 1/2
3 Extra Barley	36 1/2
3 Barley	32 1/2
4 Barley	30 1/2
Feed	28 1/2
1 Nor West Flax	\$1.12
2 Can West	1.08
3	.96

Thursday, March 19—Bocock's sale.

Monday, March 25—Oddfellows social evening.

Wednesday, March 25—Evans & Riddell's Sale.

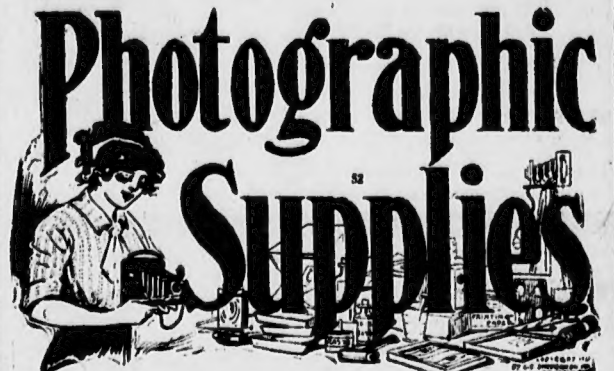
Wednesday, March 25—W. A. Book Name contest.

Wednesday, March 25—Auction sale at O. P. Solberg's.

Friday, March 27—F. E. Pobst's auction sale.

Oddfellows meet every Monday.

K. of P. meeting every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.



Whether you are an Amateur or professional, you will find everything you need in the way of photographic supplies at this drug store at reasonable prices.

We sell ENSIGN PHOTOGRAPHIC SUPPLIES

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General line of high-grade McCormick Farm Implements, including Weber Wagons, Oliver Ploughs, Vessot Feed Grinders, etc., and also Bull Dug Fanning Mills which have been giving general satisfaction. Licensed dealer for

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The car that has distanced all competitors by reason of the greater satisfaction that it has given to purchasers. Lowest in price and specially adapted to country roads.

W. R. McKie

GLEICHEN

AUCTION of FARM EQUIPMENT

At the Evans & Riddel farm 5 1-2 miles north and 3 miles east of Gleichen, beginning at 10.30 a.m. on

Wednesday, March 25

all their farming equipment will be disposed of by public auction. See the posters for full particulars and terms of the sale.

T. H. Beach, Auctioneer

Among other stock, etc., to be sold is:
15 Head Good Horses and Mules
30 Head Heifers with calf
14 Pigs

9 sets of work and driving harness
A large quantity of machinery and implements, such as binders, rakes, mowers, wagons, plows, gas engine, etc.

Cook stove, heater, and numerous household utensils.

Evans & Riddel, Owners